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SUBJECT: ICELANDIC IVP GRANTEE ARNI ARNASON,

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- 1. FY-74 IV GRANTEE ARNI ARNASON, DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL, ICELANDIC MINISTRY OF INDUSTRIES, ETA JFK LL-201 1700 SEP 8, TRANSFER TO AL 823 ETD NY 1900 ARR BALTIMORE FRIENDSHIP 1945. ADVISE WASHINGTON HOTEL, PROGRAMMING OFFICER APPOINTMENT SEP 9.
- 2. ARNASON'S PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMMING INTERESTS AS FOLLOWS: ORGANIZATION AND PLANNING OF INDUSTRY ON NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND LOCAL BASIS; INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITIES IN GENERAL; GOVERNMENTAL HANDLING OF INDUSTRIAL MATTERS AT NATIONAL AND STATE LEVEL; STOCK MARKET AND BUSINESS FINANCE; EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, INDUSTRIAL EXECUTIVE SKILLS, ENGINEERING SCIENCES, PLANNING OF (HYDROELECTRIC) POWER-INTENSIVE INDUSTRIES; REGULATING POWER-INTENSIVE INDUSTRIES; AND A VISIT TO A LARGE INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION PLANT. SPECIFIC INTERESTS INCLUDE NATIONAL ASSN OF MANUFACTURERS, FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION, SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY.

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3. GENERAL AND GEOGRAPHIC INTERESTS INCLUDE NYC,

WASHINGTON, GRAND CANYON, CALIFORNIA/ SAN FRANCISCO, BOSTON, NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH (CARNEGIE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY) AND SALT LAKE CITY (HIS HOBBY IS GENEOLOGY). ARNASON ALSO INTERESTED IN VISITING A FARM AND SMALL AND MEDIUM SIZED TOWN (S).

- 4. MISSION THOUGHT IS THAT TVA PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE VISIT SITE SINCE IT COMBINES SUCCESSFUL UTILIZATION OF POWER-INTENSIVE INDUSTRY WITH COMBINED GOVERNMENT/PRIVATE FINANCING AND REGIONAL PLANNING.
- 5. INDUSTRIAL PLANT VISITED MIGHT ADVANTAGEOUSLY BE ONE OPERATED BY UNION CARBIDE WHICH IS PLANNING IMPORTANT PROJECT HERE. APPROPRIATE CONTACT IN CORPORATION WILL BE EDWARD PILCHER, UNION CARBIDE INTERNATIONAL, NYC (TEL 551 5148).
- 6. ARNASON VERY ENGAGING YOUNG SENIOR CIVIL SERVANT WITH EXCELLENT FUTURE. HAS PHYSICAL STAMINA FOR ACTIVE TOUR. IRVING

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